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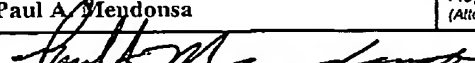
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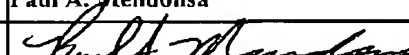
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed December 8, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in light of the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 11 of this paper.